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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Mines & Minerals – Mining Lease held by M/s.JSW Cement Ltd., for Limestone over an extent of 617.570 Hectares in Sy.Nos.131/A, 132 etc., of Bilakalagudur(V) & Sy.Nos.29/A, 29/D1 etc., of Bujunur (V), Gadivemula (M), Kurnool District for captive purpose – Deemed to have been granted for (50) years up to 24.04.2058 as per Section 8-A (5) of MM (D&R) Amendment Act, 2015 - Orders – Issued.

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INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE (MINES.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.80 Dated:23.11.2022

Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.13, Ind. & Com. (M.I) Dept, dt.10.01.2008.
2. G.O.Ms.No.199, Ind. & Com. (M.I) Dept, dt.30.07.2008
3. From the Director of Mines & Geology, A.P., Vijayawada Lr.No.6119278 /D10/2022, dt.29.08.2022 along with enclosures.

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In the G.O. 1st read above, a Mining Lease was granted for Limestone over an extent of 617.570 Hectares in Sy.Nos.131/A, 132 etc., of Bilakalagudur (V) & Sy.Nos.29/A, 29/D1 etc., of Bujunur (V), Gadivemula (M), Kurnool District in favour of M/s.Gayatri Cements for a period of 20 years and the lease deed was executed on 24.06.2008. Accordingly, the lease is in force up to 24.04.2028.

2. In the G.O. 2nd read above, the lease was transferred in favour of M/s.JSW Cements Ltd., for the unexpired portion of lease period up to 24.04.2028 and transfer lease deed was executed by the ADM&G, Banaganapalli accordingly.

3. In his proposal 3rd read above, the Director of Mines & Geology, A.P., Vijayawada has submitted that the ADM&G, Banaganapalli has reported on 30.06.2022 that the lease holder is having statutory documents such as Bank guarantees worth of Rs.85,80,000/-, Rs.6,10,36,250/- & Rs.55,48,750/- of Indian Bank valid up to 31.03.2023 and for Rs.5,01,10,000/- of Axis Bank valid up to 31.03.2024, E.C., dt.21.04.2008, CFE, dt.14.08.2008, CFO, dt.13.04.2015 and Mine Closure Plan, dt.01.12.2017 of IBM. The M.L. has to be extended for 50 years up to 24.04.2058 from the date of its original grant on 25.04.2008 as per Sec 8 (A) (5) of M&M (D&R) Amendment Act, 2015 since the M.L. is for captive purpose and the available balance reserves are 54.10 MTs as on 01.04.2022 as per the approved Mining Plan. The lessee Co., is not having any MRA dues payable to Government as per the MRA finalized as on 31.03.2022.

4. The DM&G has, therefore, requested Government to consider for deemed extension of the subject Mining Lease held by M/s.JSW Cements Ltd., for 50 years from the original grant of lease from 25.04.2008 to 24.04.2058 under Section 8 A (5) of M&M (D&R) Amendment Act, 2015.

5. Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby order that the existing Mining Lease for Limestone over an extent of 617.570 Hectares in Sy.Nos.131/A, 132 etc., of Bilakalagudur (V) & Sy.Nos.29/A, 29/D1 etc., of

P.T.O.

Bujunur (V), Gadivemula (M), Kurnool District held by M/s.JSW Cements Ltd., as deemed to have been granted for (50) years as per Section 8-A (5) of MM (D&R) Amendment Act, 2015 i.e. up to 24.04.2058 subject to satisfaction of all other terms & conditions laid down under MM (D&R) Act and the Rules made thereunder & all standing instructions and guidelines issued by the GoI and State Government from time to time.

6. The Director of Mines and Geology, A.P., Vijayawada shall take necessary action accordingly in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

GOPAL KRISHNA DWIVEDI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT(MINES)

To
The Director of Mines & Geology, A.P., Vijayawada. (w.e.file).
M/s.JSW Cements Ltd., Bilakalagudur (V) & Bujunur (V),
Gadivemula (M), Kurnool District. (By RPAD).

Copy to:
The Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, Banganapalli, Kurnool Dist.
The OSD to Hon'ble Minister (E, EFS&T and M&G).
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